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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated September 17, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed, Applicant timely submits herewith an executed Declaration for the above-referenced application. A Power of Attorney by Assignee, Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet, and Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status are also submitted herewith.

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